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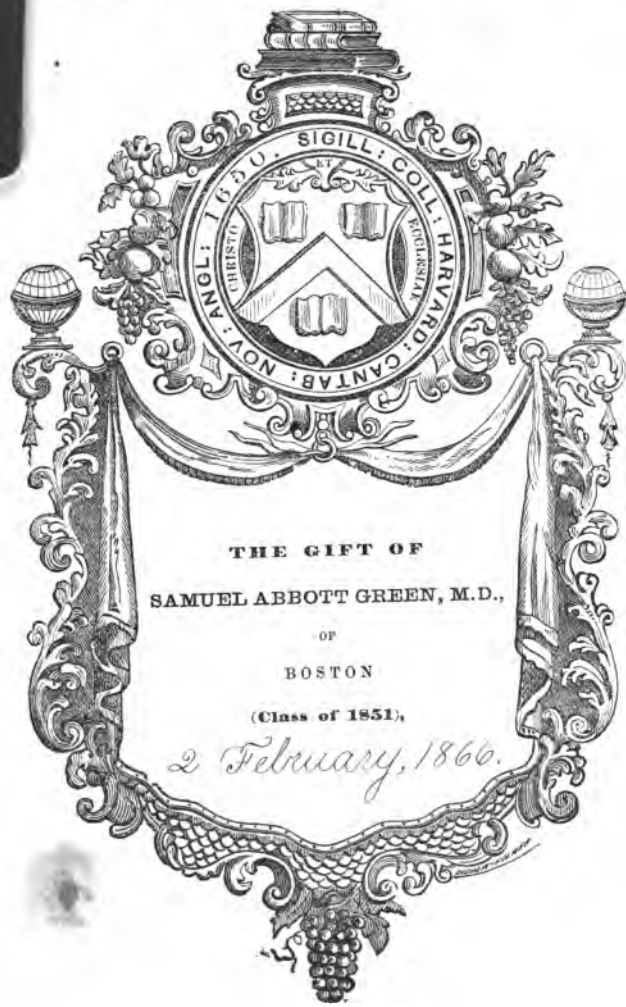
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THE

ARTICLES OF FAITH

AND

COVENANT

OF

THE MAVERICK CHURCH,

EAST BOSTON.

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WITH A LIST OF THE MEMBERS.

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PRESENT OFFICERS

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JANUARY 1, 1862.

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Pastor.

REV. THOS. N. HASKELL.

Deacons.

JOSEPH ROBBINS,  
THOMAS D. DEMOND,  
E. S. LAWRENCE,  
NEHEMIAH MERRITT.

Clerk and Treasurer.

NELSON CURTIS.

Examining Committee.

PASTOR AND DEACONS, WITH  
PAUL CURTIS,  
WILLIAM H. DELANO,  
JOSIAH M. READ,  
JOHN HOWE, JR.

## HISTORY OF THE CHURCH.

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THE great increase of population in the city of Boston led to the settlement of the island now called East Boston, in the year 1834. The population increased rapidly, and many individuals soon became impressed with the importance of erecting a meeting-house, that a church might be formed, and the inhabitants enjoy the preaching of the gospel.

In the spring of 1836, it was thought that a favorable time for the effort had arrived. A number of persons, members of different churches, held a meeting on Thursday evening, May 5, 1836, at the house of Mr. Aaron Ordway, to consult together upon the subject.

After prayer and deliberation, it was resolved that it was expedient to proceed to form a church, and a committee was appointed to notify the ministers in the city of the doings of the meeting, and to ask their advice and coöperation in further proceedings.

On the 12th of May, letters missive were issued, calling a council to organize a church, and a committee was chosen to converse with those persons who might offer themselves for admission, in relation to their Christian experience and hope.

On Tuesday, the 31st of May, a council was convened at the house of Mr. Ordway, consisting of the Pastors and Delegates of the Second Church in Dorchester, Phillips



Church in South Boston, Bowdoin, Salem, Union, and Franklin-street Churches in Boston. After deliberation by council, four male and six female professors of religion were organized into a church, under the name of the *First Congregational Church in East Boston*; and on the same day the church adopted a Confession of Faith and Covenant.

The church having no place in which to worship or to convene a Sabbath school, the male members resolved to build a vestry for that purpose, which was completed in one month; and on the first Sabbath in July, there was preaching in it, and a Sabbath school was organized.

Soon after this, the brethren commenced obtaining subscribers to the stock to build a meeting-house, which was accomplished late in the Autumn, and in December the work of building commenced. The house was completed about the middle of July, 1837. On the 19th of that month, it was dedicated to the worship of Almighty God, and the Rev. Wm. W. Newell was installed Pastor of the church. The Introductory and Dedicatory Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Blagden; Sermon by Rev. Mr. Winslow; Installing Prayer by Rev. Mr. Rogers; Charge by Rev. Dr. Fay; Fellowship of Churches by Rev. Mr. Fitch.

On the 7th July, 1837, it was voted that the name of the church be altered, and that it be called hereafter *Maverick Church*.

At the session of the Legislature in 1838, an Act of Incorporation was obtained, under which a society was organized, by the name of the *Maverick Congregational Society*, consisting of the owners of shares in the meeting-house, which society assumes the support of public wor-

ship, and has a negative upon the church in the selection of a minister.

Rev. Mr. Newell, having requested a dismission on account of ill health, was dismissed, by advice of council, July 21st, 1841.

On the 2d of March, 1842, Rev. Amos A. Phelps was installed as Pastor. Rev. Mr. Adams, of the Union Church, preached the Sermon; Rev. Mr. Blagden offered the Installing Prayer; Rev. Mr. Rogers gave the Charge; and Rev. Mr. Towne the Fellowship of the Churches.

Rev. Mr. Phelps, having requested a dismission, was, by advice of council, dismissed June 2d, 1845.

On the 18th of November, 1846, Rev. Robert S. Hitchcock was installed as Pastor. Rev. R. D. Hitchcock read the Scriptures. Prayer by Rev. Mr. Langworthy; Sermon by Rev. Mr. Rogers; Installing Prayer by Rev. Mr. Lord; Charge to the Pastor, Rev. Dr. Hitchcock; Right Hand of Fellowship, Rev. Dr. Beecher; Address to the People, Rev. Mr. Kirk; Concluding Prayer, Rev. Mr. Alvord.

Rev. Mr. Hitchcock was, at his own request, dismissed November 6, 1850.

Rev. Rufus W. Clark, formerly of Portsmouth, N. H., was next installed, Dec. 3, 1851. Invocation by Rev. Mr. Alvord; Prayer by Rev. Dr. Beecher; Sermon by Rev. J. W. Chickering; Installing Prayer, Rev. Dr. Blagden; Charge to the Pastor, Rev. Mr. Kirk; Right Hand of Fellowship, Rev. Mr. Dexter; Address to the People, Rev. Mr. Winslow.

Rev. Mr. Clark was, at his own request, dismissed April 8, 1857.

Rev. Thomas N. Haskell, formerly of Washington, D.C.,

was next installed, June 24, 1858. Invocation by Rev. G. W. Field; Prayer by Rev. J. B. Miles; Sermon by Professor Austin Phelps; Installing Prayer by Rev. J. Perkins; Charge to the Pastor by Rev. E. N. Kirk, D.D.; Right Hand of Fellowship by Rev. Jonathan Edwards; Address to the People by Rev. R. W. Clark, D.D.

## GOVERNMENT, PRINCIPLES, AND STANDING RULES.

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THIS church recognizes God alone as Lord of the conscience, and his word as the final and authoritative rule of judgment, in the administration of government and discipline.

Believing the Articles of Faith and Covenant hereunto annexed to be in accordance with that word, this church adopts them. For the same reason, it adopts, for its government and discipline, the general principles and rules which are contained in the Platform of Church Discipline, agreed upon by the elders and messengers of the churches, assembled at Cambridge, in this State, A. D. 1648, with such modifications, since introduced, as are in accordance with the Bible, and the general consent and practice of Congregational churches. It also adopts the following more specific principles and rules :—

### THE CHURCH.

This church is independent, so far as relates to its internal organization and the regulation of its affairs. It is amenable to no other ecclesiastical body, except by its own consent, or according to regular and established Congregational principles. With these exceptions, it controls the admission, discipline, and removal of its members, according to its own understanding of the word of God.

### OFFICERS OF THE CHURCH.

The officers of this church shall be, the Pastor or Pastors, and Deacons, Clerk and Treasurer, and an Examin-

ing Committee, which shall consist of the Pastor and Deacons, and any others the church may appoint. The number of Deacons shall be fixed by the church as its exigencies may from time to time require; and no person shall hold the office more than five years without a re-election.

At every annual meeting there shall be an election of one deacon, it being understood that the term of one incumbent shall expire annually, according to seniority of appointment. The Clerk and Treasurer and Examining Committee shall be chosen annually.

#### DUTIES OF OFFICERS.

To the Pastor pertains the office of Moderator. It shall be the duty of the Deacons to preside in the absence of the Pastor, in rotation; to assist in the administration of the Lord's Supper; to distribute the charities of the church, and to aid the pastor generally in the spiritual care of the flock; and in his absence to provide a supply for the pulpit. The Clerk shall keep the records; shall notify all members absent more than a year of their duty to remove their relation, and seek from them the reasons of their previous delay of it; and shall report to the church, at its annual meeting, the name, residence, and length of absence, so far as they can be ascertained, of all absent members. The Treasurer shall take charge of all money belonging to the church, and pay it out as the church may direct, and make report of the same at the annual meeting. The Examining Committee shall examine all candidates for admission, and report to the church the names of such as they approve. This committee shall meet and organize, as soon as may be, after

the annual meeting, by the choice of a clerk, who shall keep a record, and report to the church, in writing, the substance of the relation given by the candidates. In cases of private or personal offence, this committee may also act as a Committee of Counsel and Conference between the parties — endeavoring, if possible, to heal the breach, without a resort to discipline.

#### FELLOWSHIP WITH OTHER CHURCHES.

This church will extend to other Evangelical Congregational churches, and receive from them that fellowship, advice, and assistance, which the law of Christ requires. It will extend the usual rights of communion, and practise the usual transfer of members, according to its own convictions of duty. It holds itself bound to regard the decisions of mutual councils, and to seek the promotion of peace with all the churches of our Lord.

#### ADMISSION OF MEMBERS.

This church, by its committee, will examine all persons wishing to unite with it. All candidates for admission shall be propounded to the church and congregation two weeks previous to admission. No objection having been made, this church will then receive all such candidates, on the concurrence of two-thirds of the members present, when the vote is taken, and on their having subscribed to the Articles of Faith and Covenant, in a book kept for the purpose. Admissions by profession shall be made in presence of the congregation, on Communion Sabbath, in the afternoon; and notice shall then be given of the admission by letter.

**TRANSFER OF MEMBERS.**

This church, on application duly made, will dismiss and recommend its members, who are in good standing, to other churches. Applications for dismission must be made in writing, stating the name of the church to which a recommendation is desired.

**RIGHTS OF MEMBERS.**

Every member has a right to church privileges, unless forfeited by misconduct; and when thus forfeited, he can be deprived of them only by regular process. No proceedings shall be had against a member, except upon a complaint made to the church in writing, stating explicitly the charges; and the accused shall be seasonably furnished with a copy of the complaint, and shall have a full hearing. No vote of censure shall be passed upon any member, except by the concurrence of two-thirds of the brethren present at a regular meeting.

**DUTIES OF MEMBERS.**

Some of these are specified in the Covenant. It is the duty of members removing from this place, to seek a letter of dismission and recommendation to some church where they reside. It is also the duty of any member, having cause of complaint against another, immediately to seek its removal, according to the directions of Christ, in Matt. xviii. 15-17.

It is the duty of offending members penitently to confess their fault, and to make reparation — the confession and reparation being, as far as possible, as public and extensive as the fault. Members removing from the city, or attending other places of worship in the city, are expected

to remove their connection from this church to some other church at or near where they reside, within one year from the time of their removal, unless there are satisfactory reasons for the delay, which reasons must be communicated, in writing, to the Pastor or Clerk, by such absent members. This church also expects, that, in all ordinary cases, members of other churches, wishing to commune with it, and to participate in other church privileges, for more than one year, will seek a dismissal from their respective churches, and an admission to this.

#### OFFENCES.

Immoral conduct, breach of express covenant vows, neglect of acknowledged religious or relative duties, and disbelief of the Articles of Faith, are offences subject to the discipline and censure of the church.

#### EVIDENCE.

The confession of the party accused, the concurrence of two competent witnesses to the same fact, or other evidence satisfactory to the church, shall be deemed sufficient for conviction.

#### CENSURES.

The censures of the church are discipline, in its several steps, and excommunication — the latter to be administered by the Pastor, on behalf of the church, and in the name of Christ, before the congregation.

#### STANDING RULES.

1. The Annual Meeting shall be held on the first Monday in January, in each year.
2. All officers shall be chosen by ballot.
3. The church shall meet for business once in two



months, on the Monday evening next preceding the Communion Sabbath. Special meetings for business may be called by notice from the desk.

4. The church shall meet every Friday evening, for devotional purposes.

5. The Lord's Supper shall be celebrated once in two months — on the first Sabbath in January, March, May, July, September, and November.

6. The time for contributing to benevolent objects shall be as follows:—

Foreign Missions, 2d Sabbath in January.

Education Society, 2d      "      " February.

City Missions,      2d      "      " April.

Tract Society,      2d      "      " July.

Home Missions,      2d      "      " September.

The Poor,      2d      "      " November.

Sabbath School, 2d      "      " December;

and the Seamen's Friend Society, and the American and Foreign Christian Union, at such times as the Pastor may deem most appropriate.

## ARTICLES OF FAITH AND COVENANT.

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**BELoved FRIENDS:** You have presented yourselves before God and this assembly to make a public confession of your religious faith, and enter into solemn covenant with God and his people.

We trust you have duly considered the nature of the profession you are about to make, and of the engagements into which you are about to enter. They are of the most solemn moment, and upon their faithful observance your eternal happiness will depend.

Attend then to the

### CONFESSION OF FAITH.

#### ARTICLE I.

You believe that there is but one God, the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, a being of perfect and adorable attributes, the Creator, Preserver, and Governor of the universe.

#### ARTICLE II.

You believe that the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments were given by inspiration of God, and are the only perfect rule of faith and practice.

#### ARTICLE III.

You believe that man was originally holy ; that

he sinned and fell from that state ; that in consequence of the fall, all mankind are sinners.

ARTICLE IV.

You believe that Jesus Christ, by his sufferings and death, has made an atonement sufficient for the redemption of all mankind ; that pardon and eternal life are sincerely offered to all, upon condition of repentance and faith in Christ, and that there is salvation in no other way.

ARTICLE V.

You believe that mankind, of their own accord, refuse to comply with the terms of mercy, and continue alienated from God, until their hearts, influenced by the Holy Spirit, are freely given to the Saviour.

ARTICLE VI.

You believe that God, from eternity, purposed to secure the repentance and final salvation of a great multitude which no man can number.

ARTICLE VII.

You believe in the resurrection of the dead, and a day of judgment, when every one must give unto Christ an account of the deeds done in the body ; that the righteous will then enter into life, and the wicked will go away into punishment, both of which will be without end.

ARTICLE VIII.

Moreover, you believe that in this world the

Lord Jesus Christ has a visible Church, the terms of admission to which are a public profession of faith in Christ, sustained by credible evidence ; that Baptism and the Lord's Supper are ordinances to be observed in the church to the end of the world ; that none but members of the visible church in regular standing have a right to partake of the Lord's Supper ; and that only they and their households are proper subjects for the ordinance of Baptism.

All these things you profess and heartily believe.

(The ordinance of Baptism to be here administered.)

You will now enter into a solemn covenant with God and with this church.

#### COVENANT.

In the presence of God and this assembly, you do now solemnly affirm the Lord Jehovah to be your God, and your portion forever ; you do solemnly dedicate yourselves to God the Father as your chief good, to the Lord Jesus Christ as your Saviour, and to the Holy Spirit as your Sanctifier, Comforter, and Guide. You do solemnly devote to the one living and true God all your powers and possessions ; covenanting that you will be the Lord's forever ; engaging that, through the aid of his Spirit, you will love him supremely, and obey him faithfully ; that you will give diligent attendance to his word and ordinances ; that you will

seek, above all things, the honor and interests of his kingdom ; and that you will aim, without ceasing, to adorn your profession by a blameless life and by holiness of heart.

You do now cordially join yourselves to this church of Christ, engaging to submit to the rules of ecclesiastical government and discipline which it has adopted ; to strive earnestly for its peace, edification, and purity ; to attend the stated meetings of the church, and to walk with its members in charity, faithfulness, and sobriety.

*This you profess and engage.*

In consequence of these professions and engagements, we, the members of this church, (*here the members of the church rise,*) affectionately receive you to our communion, and in the name of Christ declare you entitled to all its privileges ; we welcome you to this fellowship with us in the blessings of the gospel, and, on our part, engage to watch over you and seek your edification, as long as you shall continue with us.

And now, beloved in the Lord, let it be impressed on your minds, that you have entered into solemn obligations, from which you can never escape. Wherever you go, these vows will be upon you ; they will follow you to the bar of God, and will abide upon you through eternity. May the Lord guide and preserve you till death, and at last receive you and us to that blessed world, where our love and joy shall be forever perfect. AMEN.

## HISTORICAL LIST OF MEMBERS.

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Those marked with an asterisk (\*) are deceased; those with an obelisk (†) are dismissed to other churches; (‡) excommunicated.

AT THE ORGANIZATION, MAY 31, 1836.

†Eleazer Johnson, *First Church, Marblehead.*  
 \*Elizabeth Johnson, " "  
 \*Philip Lord, *Howard Street Church, Salem.*  
 †Susan Lord, " "  
 †Aaron Ordway, " "  
 †Catharine Ordway, " "  
 Sarah Lamson, *New North Church, Boston.* [Mrs. Bowker.]  
 \*Susan Haynes, *Salem Church, Boston.*  
 Benjamin F. Butler, " "  
 Mary Jane Butler, *North Church, Portsmouth, N. H.*

JULY 1, 1836.

†Jacob Hayes, *Alfred, Me.*  
 †Lydia Burns, *Hudson, N. H.*  
 †Clarissa Burns, *Dunstable, N. H.*  
 Betsey Burns, *Church in Lowell, Ms.*  
 †Zoeth Rich, *Eastham, Ms.*  
 †Thebe Rich, " "

FEBRUARY 2, 1837.

Rebecca Parsons, *Edgecomb, Me.* [Mrs. Land.]  
 †Jane Fullerton.

MAY 28, 1837.

†James M. Whiton, *Salem Church, Boston.*  
 †Mary E. Whiton, " "

MAY 4, 1838.

†Mary Atherton, *Village Church, Dorchester.*  
 †Rachel Pond, *Bennet St. Church, Boston.* [Mrs. Cheever.]  
 †William W. Newell, *Brighton, Ms.*  
 †Elizabeth W. Newell, *Bradford, Ms.*  
 †Abigail Garvin, *Shapleigh, Me.*  
 Roxana Leavitt, *Old South, Boston.*  
 William H. Delano.  
 Sarah Delano.  
 Rebecca Pierce, *First Christian Church, Boston.*  
 \*John Pierce.  
 †Gilbert E. Pierce.  
 †Caroline R. Brown.

\*Jonathan Tower.  
 Susan Clifford. [Mrs. Chase.]  
 Phebe Kilborn.  
 †Serada Morse.  
 \*Persis L. Morse.  
 †Anson L. Ordway.  
 †Harvey Rogers.  
 †Helen Rogers.  
 \*Alexander Lane.  
 \*Charlotte Lane.  
 †William Sawyer.  
 †Elsey Morgan.

JUNE 29, 1838.

†Enoch Morse, *Third Church, Salem.*  
 †Persis H. Morse, " "

NOVEMBER 2, 1838.

†Samuel W. Hall, *Salem Church, Boston.*  
 †Margaret B. Hall, " "  
 †Lucy L. Wellington, " "  
 †Ednah C. Newell, *Pine St. Church, Providence.*  
 \*Joshua Cheever, *Union Church, Boston.*

APRIL 7, 1839.

\*Samuel S. Luke.  
 †Clarissa E. Luke.

MAY 3, 1839.

Edwin Bailey, *Bowdoin Church, Boston.*  
 Margaret M. Bailey, " "  
 \*Hannah Luke, *Shoreham, Vt.*  
 †Henry T. Butler.  
 †John P. Ordway.  
 †Caroline E. Cheever. [Mrs. Butler.]  
 †Emily C. Cheever.  
 †Almena C. Cheever.

JULY 8, 1839.

†Increase S. Hill, *Third Church, Salem.*  
 †Mary Hill, " "

OCTOBER 19, 1839.

†Lydia C. Jackman, *Belville, Ms.*

MARCH 1, 1840.

†Thomas Brown, *Union Church, Boston.*  
 †Ann F. Brown, " "  
 Fidelia Smith, *West Boylston.*  
 Isabella Dias.  
 †Eliza Ann Drake.

JULY 5, 1840.

†Olive G. Moulton, *Hampton, N. H.*  
 †Simon Moulton.  
 †B. Henry Ordway.

OCTOBER 30, 1840.

†John Melville, *Village Church, Dorchester.*

JANUARY 3, 1841.

\*Beriah Loomis, *Bowdoin Church, Boston.*

\*Louisa Loomis, " "

JULY 30, 1841.

Joseph Robbins, *Salem Church, Boston.*

Margaret E. Robbins, " "

OCTOBER 1, 1841.

William R. Lovejoy, *Salem Church, Boston.*

Mary Lovejoy, " "

\*William T. Allen, " "

†Caroline L. G. Allen, " "

Albert Bowker.

MARCH 4, 1842.

\*Daniel H. Lombard, *Lincoln, Me.*

†Mary Lombard, " "

\*Rev. Amos A. Phelps, *Pine St. Church, Boston.*

APRIL 29, 1842.

Mariah Robbins, *Gainesville, Ala.*

JULY 3, 1842.

John H. Tomlinson, *Old South Church, Boston.*†John Wooley, *Second Church, New York.*

†Elizabeth Wooley, " "

†William Johns.

Mary Briggs.

Mary Lord.

Prudence Irvin.

Sarah R. Williams. [Mrs. Smith.]

Rachel S. Williams. [Mrs. Synett.]

SEPTEMBER 4, 1842.

\*Ebenezer Hall, *Salem Church, Boston.*

Hannah Hall, " "

Luther Hall, " "

Olivia P. Hall, " "

Angelina D. Parker, " "

J. Brooks Parker, *Boylston.*†Fanny Robinson, *Dudley.*

David F. Lord.

NOVEMBER 6, 1842.

Thomas Ditson.

Martha Ditson.

MARCH 5, 1843.

Melinda Josselyn.



## SEPTEMBER 1, 1848.

- †Isaac H. Smith, *Howard St. Church, Salem.*  
 †Almira Pond, *Westboro'.*  
 Lucy C. Osborn, *Pres. Ch. Saratoga Sp., N. Y.* [Mrs. Tomlinson.]

## JANUARY 5, 1844.

- †Nathaniel Howard, *Green Street Church.*  
 †Olive Howard, " "  
 †Joanna Keyes Howard, " "  
 †Isabella Littlefield, *1st Cong. Church, Lowell.*  
 Mary A. Watson, *Cong. Church, Easton.*

## APRIL 3, 1844.

- Charles James, *Cong. Church, Medford, Mass.*  
 Elizabeth W. S. James, *Cong. Church, Medford, Mass.*  
 Eliza G. Googins.

## NOVEMBER 3, 1844.

- Dorcas P. Sweetser, *Cong. Church, Portland, Me.*  
 Jane Bilby, " "  
 †Sarah Foster. [Mrs. Hamilton.]  
 Jane Taylor.

## MARCH 2, 1845.

- Samuel Giddings, *Village Church, Amesbury, Mass.*  
 Eunice Giddings, " "  
 †Francis C. Swett, *Central Church, Boston.*  
 †Calthea G. Swett, " "

## MAY 4, 1845.

- †Jesse Merrill, *Franklin, N. H.*  
 •Sarah Merrill, " "  
 †Laura Merrill, " "  
 Flora G. Merrill, " " [Mrs. Pierce.]  
 †Harvey M. Morse, *Bowdoin St. Church, Boston.*  
 †Hannah M. Morse, " "  
 Alice Johns.

## JANUARY 4, 1846.

- Sally Fletcher, *Amherst, N. H.*  
 •Mary Jones, *Bennet St. Church, Boston.*  
 †Mary A. Picket, *Central Church, Boston.*  
 †Enoch S. Hamilton.

## FEBRUARY 23, 1846.

- Daniel V. Folts, *Springfield, N. Y.*  
 Harriet E. M. Folts, " "

## APRIL 27, 1846.

- †George W. Osborne, *Waterville, Me.*  
 †Mary A. Osborne, " "  
 †Eliza Emerson, *Lowell, Mass.*  
 †John Curry, *Salem Church, Boston.*

## AUGUST 31, 1846.

- E. K. Mitchell, *2d Cong. Church, Portland, Me.*

## JANUARY 3, 1847.

- Curtis Haven, *Salem Church, Boston.*  
 \*Martha Haven, " "  
 Jackson Richardson, *Mt. Vernon Church, Boston.*  
 †Thomas Foss, *1st Church, Marblehead, Mass.*  
 Jarius Pratt, *Winnisimmet Church, Chelsea, Mass.*  
 Deborah Pratt, " "  
 \*Mary Pratt, " "  
 \*John White, *Springfield, Mass.*  
 Harriet White, " "  
 †Adaline A. White, " " [Mrs. Burrill.]  
 Abner Loomis, *Edgecomb, Me.*  
 Susan Loomis, " "  
 \*Jane P. Straight, *Rochester, N. Y.*  
 Nicholas Shick, " "  
 Ruth B. Burrows, *New Bedford, Mass.*  
 †William B. Picket.

## MARCH 7, 1847.

- Harriet Lunt, *4th Church, Newburyport, Mass.*  
 \*Susan A. Adams, *Castine, Me.*  
 Mary A. L. Coffin, *North Ch. Portsmouth, N. H.* [Mrs. Marsh.]  
 \*Sarah Farrar, *Winnisimmet Church, Chelsea, Mass.*  
 †Henry Farley, *Tabernacle Church, Salem, Mass.*  
 \*Aaron Brown, *Appleton Church, Lowell, Mass.*  
 Harriet Brown, " " [Mrs. Gray.]  
 †Jane Pickering, " "  
 †Thomas Rogers, *Calais, Me.*  
 †Mary A. Rogers, " "  
 †Gilbert Stevens, *Queechee Village, Vt.*  
 †Nancy Stevens, " "  
 Caroline L. Fales, *Mt. Vernon Church, Boston.*  
 Abigail Small, *Cong. Church, Chatham, Mass.*  
 Mary Haven.  
 Elizabeth C. Fowler. [Mrs. Shick.]  
 Elizabeth Shackford.

## MAY 2, 1847.

- \*John R. Dennis, *Mariner's Church, Boston.*  
 Sarah Dennis, " "  
 Elizabeth Clark.

## JULY 4, 1847.

- †Andrew Sleuman, *Crombie St. Church, Salem, Mass.*  
 †Elizabeth S. Sleuman, " "  
 Joseph Folsom.  
 Martha Folsom.  
 †James W. Coltman.  
 †Mary A. Coltman.  
 †Oliver N. Moulton.  
 †Juliette J. Merrill. [Mrs. Pierce.]  
 †Rebecca Ormsby.  
 †Lavinia Payne.  
 †Mary B. Lovejoy.

Mary F. Delano. [Mrs. Hill.]  
 †Mary C. Noyes. [Mrs. Oliver.]  
 †Henrietta Baker.  
 †Maria P. White.  
 Mary P. Burbank.

## SEPTEMBER 5, 1847.

†John Harmon, *Salem Church, Boston.*  
 †Mary A. Harmon, " "  
 Thomas D. Demond, *Leyden Church, Boston.*  
 \*Susan M. P. Demond, " "  
 †Catharine Wheelock, *Cong. Church, Greenfield, Mass.*

## NOVEMBER 7, 1847.

Eliza A. Hazlit, *1st Cong. Church, Lowell, Mass.*  
 †Caroline F. Foster. [Mrs. Taft.]

## MARCH 5, 1848.

John Howe, Jr., *Cong. Church, Searsport, Me.*  
 Clara Howe, " "  
 Josiah M. Read, *Central Church, Boston.*  
 Eliza S. Read, " "  
 †Emeline J. Brown, *Berlin, Ct.*  
 †Rachael C. Hoffman, *Leyden Church, Boston.*

## SEPTEMBER 4, 1848.

†Mary A. Payne, *Cannon St. Church, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.*  
 †Lavinia Payne, " "  
 Joseph J. Fales, *Cong. Church, Wrentham, Mass.*

## JANUARY 7, 1849.

†Mary Morrison, *Winnisimmet Church, Chelsea, Mass.*

## MARCH 4, 1849.

Nehemiah Merritt, *Leyden Church, Boston.*  
 Anna B. Merritt, " "  
 Stephen N. Stockwell, " "  
 Anna B. Stockwell, " "  
 Hannah A. Crosby, *Green St. Church, Boston.*

## MAY 6, 1849.

Elizabeth A. Wood. [Mrs. Parker.]

## JULY 1, 1849.

Nehemiah T. Merritt, *Leyden Church, Boston.*  
 Elizabeth Edlefson, " "

## SEPTEMBER 2, 1849.

John Hegan, *Mariner's Church, Boston.*  
 Jane Hegan, " "  
 \*Matilda Morse, *Salem Church, Boston.*  
 Nancy W. Mitchell, *Cong. Church, South Woburn, Mass.*

## NOVEMBER 4, 1849.

- †Robert S. Hitchcock, *Seminary Church, Andover, Mass.*  
 \*S. P. Seaman, *Winnisimmet Church, Chelsea, Mass.*  
 †Clara Seaman, "

## JANUARY 6, 1850.

Maryline Foster. [Mrs. Palmer.]

## MARCH 3, 1850.

- †John B. Hutchinson, *Central Church, Boston.*  
 †Rutha B. Hutchinson, "  
 Susan Redding, *Church in Phippsburg, Me.*  
 Alice H. Fisher, *Church in Nantucket, Mass.*  
 Lucinda G. Stevens.  
 \*Samuel W. Hill.

## MAY 5, 1850.

- \*Ann T. Washburn, *2d Church, Hartford.*

## JANUARY 4, 1852.

- Sally Hahn, *1st Church, Winthrop, Me.*  
 †Ezra Bartlett, *Church in Berwick, Me.*  
 Asa Robbins, *Presb. Church, Gainsville, Ala.*  
 \*Judith G. Robbins, "  
 †Samuel Ritchie, *Presb. Church, Condor, Ireland.*  
 †Agnes Ritchie, *Associate Reformed Church, Boston.*  
 David W. Lord, *Church in Ipswich, Mass.*  
 Harriet H. Lord, "  
 Samuel K. Burbeck, *1st Church, Yarmouth, Mass.*  
 Nancy D. Burbeck, "  
 †Francis C. Swett, *Central Church, Boston.*  
 †Calthea G. Swett, "  
 Emily J. Wentworth.  
 †Abby Stevens.  
 Marcia A. Wentworth. [Mrs. Bacon.]  
 †Harriet Payne.  
 †Mary A. Upton.  
 John Murphy.  
 Margaret A. Murphy.

## MARCH 7, 1852.

- John P. Averill, *Winthrop Church, Charlestown, Mass.*  
 \*Elizabeth C. Averill, "  
 †Abraham Fitts, *Cong. Church, Manchester, N. H.*  
 †Mary J. Fitts, "  
 Joseph D. Crowell, *Cong. Church, Centreville, Mass.*  
 Huldah S. Crowell, "  
 William H. Fredson, *High St. Church, Portland, Me.*  
 \*Henrietta Fredson, "  
 \*Pamelia D. Converse, *Second Church, Portland, Me.*  
 Lucy Ring, *Salem Church, Boston.*  
 \*Lydia D. Bailey, *3d Church, Plymouth, Mass.*  
 Malinda Taylor, *Cong. Church, Washington, N. H.* [Mrs. Smith.]  
 Sarah J. Howes, " *Groton, Mass.*

Paul Bailey, Jr.  
 † Benjamin J. Howes.  
 Elijah C. Crane.  
 • Mary Remick.  
 Mary Ann Finley.  
 † Eliza O. Moulton.

## MAY 2, 1852.

Dorothy Noyes, *1st Cong. Church, Lowell, Mass.*  
 • Eleanor E. Ray, *1st Cong. Church, Bluehill, Mass.*  
 • Marian B. Clough, *Cong. Church, Essex, Vt.*  
 David C. Ryder, *Cong. Church, Chatham, Mass.*  
 Mary A. Ryder,  
 † Arad T. Harlow, *W. M. Church, Duxbury, Mass.*  
 † Augusta N. Harlow, " "  
 † Ivory Harlow, " "  
 † Olive C. Harlow, " "  
 Abby Taylor. [Mrs. Crane.]  
 † Josiah M. Reed.  
 Mary D. Boss.  
 Otis C. Howe.  
 Helen H. Morrill.  
 Sarah F. Wentworth.  
 Mary F. Brown. [Mrs. Lovering.]  
 Isabella A. Bilby.  
 Isabella Hegan. [Mrs. Blair.]  
 Roxanna Burg. [Mrs. Leighton.]  
 • Hannah M. Delano.  
 Emma L. Delano.  
 Estelle Ditson. [Mrs. Kendall.]  
 Elizabeth L. Hall.  
 Lydia E. Hall. [Mrs. Staniford.]  
 Barbara P. Muir.  
 Cyrus P. Osborne.  
 † Augustus M. Brainard.  
 † Charles B. Morton.  
 Philander Nutter.  
 † Harriet M. Osborne.  
 † Sarah A. Morton.  
 Martha B. Stevens.  
 • Rebecca Kendall.  
 Susan A. Tomlinson.  
 Mary E. Fales.  
 Eveline C. Ring. [Mrs. James.]  
 Jedidah Brown. [Mrs. Wood.]  
 † Julia A. Harlow.  
 Harriet A. Lovejoy. [Mrs. Hall.]  
 Lucy Brooks. [Mrs. Nutter.]

## JULY 4, 1852.

† Salome McClenathan, *1st Cong. Church, Manchester, N. H.*  
 Phineas Burgess, *3d Presb. Church, Philadelphia.*  
 • Elizabeth B. Burgess, " " [Mrs. Clark.]

- Eliza Burgess, *Presb. Church, Philadelphia.*  
 †Lydia A. Walsh, " "  
 Elizabeth L. Hall, *Salem Church, Boston.*  
 Mary Plumbley, " "  
 Mary M. Morse, *Union Church, Boston.*  
 \*Kate W. Lincoln, *Winthrop Ch., Charlestown, Mass.* [Mrs. Sparrill.]  
 †Sarah J. Chamberlain, " "  
 †Eliza W. Clark, *North Church, Portsmouth, N. H.*  
 †Samuel D. Hadley.  
 Albert Huse.  
 Nancy S. Huse.  
 James Finkin.  
 Sarah E. Ring.  
 †John Upton.  
 Helvinia A. Converse. [Mrs. Garvin.]  
 Mary F. Crosby. [Mrs. Soule.]  
 John M. Duncan.  
 George E. James.  
 †Catherine T. McCusker.  
 Julia A. Dennis. [Mrs. Dixon.]  
 \*Mary H. Small. [Mrs. Sparrell.]  
 Susan D. Wild.  
 †Lyman James.  
 Mary E. James.

## SEPTEMBER 5, 1852.

- †Sarah Carrick, *Salem Church, Boston.*  
 †Sarah J. Foss.  
 †James Perrie.

## NOVEMBER 7, 1852.

- Ira Carver, *Cong. Church, Marshfield, Mass.*  
 Susan Carver, " "  
 †Sally A. Burgess, *Little Compton, R. I.*  
 †Francelia A. Burgess, " "  
 Harriet W. Muir, *Presb. Church, Shelburne, N. S.*  
 †Sarah A. Bates, *Cong. Church, Cohasset, Mass.*  
 Eliza Brown.  
 Mary F. Plumbley. [Mrs. Hill.]  
 †Ephraim A. Hall.  
 †Louisa L. Hall.  
 William Thompson.  
 Marian Thompson.  
 John P. Muir.

## JANUARY 2, 1853.

- Susan Littlefield, *Cong. Church, Wells, Me.*  
 Elizabeth Finkin.

## MARCH 6, 1853.

- †Sally Thurber, *Union Church, Boston.*  
 William H. Barstow, *Church in Brookfield, Mass.*  
 Ferdinand A. W. Converse.  
 †James F. Harlow.

## MAY 1, 1853.

- †Sarah Nay, *Cong. Church, Raymond, N. H.*  
 †Elizabeth P. Tyler, *Cong. Church, Machias, Me.*  
 Samuel W. Heal.

## JULY 3, 1853.

- †Charles W. Butler, *Cong. Church, Amesbury and Salisbury, Mass.*  
 Martha E. S. Demond, *Winthrop Church, Charlestown, Mass.*  
 †Caroline Boynton, *Hallowell, Me.*  
 Elizabeth Warren, *Union Church, Boston.*  
 †Sarah Ross, *1st Church, Charlestown, Mass.*  
 Sarah D. Wood. [Mrs. Dunlap.]

## SEPTEMBER 4, 1853.

- \*Ephraim P. Howe, *Cong. Church, Deerfield, N. H.*

## NOVEMBER 6, 1853.

- Paul Curtis, *Mystic Church, Medford, Mass.*  
 Almira J. Curtis, "  
 †Susan M. Underwood, *Eliot Church, Roxbury, Mass.*  
 Jane E. Gilbert, *1st Church, Pomfret, Conn.* [Mrs. Curtis.]  
 Jane McClerty, *Salem Church, Boston.*  
 †Elizabeth F. Ellis, *Winter Street, Bath, Me.*  
 Mary E. Hall.  
 †Mary J. Burgess.  
 Mary E. Bragdon.  
 Margaret Schrofenberg.  
 Lucy H. Howes.  
 Emily C. Sturtevant.

## JANUARY 1, 1854.

- Almira B. Curtis, *Mystic Church, Medford.* [Mrs. Merritt.]  
 Mary M. Reed, *Church of the Pilgrims, Boston.*  
 Marcia Ives Hall.  
 †Caroline Webb.  
 Maria Wentworth.

## MAY 1, 1854.

- †Harrison Williams, *2d Cong. Church, Newcastle, Me.*  
 Philamela J. Cottle [Mrs. Cole], *1st Presb. Church, Rahway, N. J.*  
 William J. Cheeney.  
 •William W. Palmer.  
 †Mary A. Carrick.

## JUNE 26, 1854.

- E. S. Lawrence, *Winthrop Church, Charlestown, Mass.*  
 Hannah P. Lawrence,  
 Wm. B. Sprague, *Mystic Church, Medford, Mass.*  
 †Eunice W. Bailey, *1st Church, Nashua, N. H.*

## SEPTEMBER 1, 1854.

- †R. W. Clark, *Seminary Church, Andover, Mass.*  
 †Rebecca M. Butler, *Church in Augusta, Me.*

## NOVEMBER 3, 1854.

- † Oliver D. Root, *Park St. Church, Boston.*  
 James S. Moore.  
 Mehitable R. White.  
 † Susan C. Carver. [Mrs. Litchfield.]  
 \* Flora Morrison.

## JANUARY 1, 1855.

- † Emeline Tebbetts, *Cong. Church, Ware, Mass.*  
 Mary Burke, " *Bingham, Me.*  
 † Hannah Chapman, 1st " *Amherst, Mass.*  
 † Mary Ann Clark, " *Mattapoisett, Mass.*  
 † George Holman, " *Royalston, Mass.*  
 † Delia Holman, " "  
 † Sophia Fay, " "  
 Hannah Zehna, *Black Rock, N. Y.*  
 George Sherman, *Cong. Church, Calais, Me.*  
 James N. Hinckley.  
 Mary F. Barnes.  
 Caroline Bacon.

## FEBRUARY 25, 1855.

- \* Charles Googins.

## MARCH 7, 1855.

Sarah Sturtevant.

## APRIL 30, 1855.

- Henry Leland, *Cong. Church, Ellsworth, Me.*  
 Ann Cook, *Meth. Ep. Ch. Meridian St., E. B.*  
 Elizabeth Stoddard.  
 † Catherine W. Willis.  
 Huldah H. Mitchell.  
 Eveline E. Sturtevant.

## JUNE 25, 1855.

- John L. Stewart, *2d Presb. Church, Trenton, N. Y.*  
 C. Matilda Stewart, " "  
 Winslow Hall, *Mystic Church, Medford, Mass.*  
 † Russell L. Snow, *Cong. Church, Orleans, Mass.*  
 Maria J. Brown, *1st Church, Cambridgeport, Mass.*  
 Mary A. Gove, *Leyden Church, Boston.*  
 Dorothy J. Tyre, *1st Church, Marblehead, Mass.*  
 † Nelson F. Holman, *1st Church, Royalston, Mass.*  
 † Joshua Clark.  
 Nelson Curtis.  
 Geo. W. Merritt.  
 Eldridge K. Sparrell.  
 Lincoln Stoddard.  
 George Stewart.  
 John R. Macy.  
 John H. Plumley.  
 Levi B. Stinchfield.  
 Frances T. Stinchfield.



Abby Allen.  
 Charlotte H. Littlefield.  
 Maria Bailey.  
 \*Georgiana L. West.  
 Almira D. Atkins.  
 Lorena Field.  
 †Anna M. Lawrence. [Mrs. Busiel.]  
 Hannah Alexander.  
 Eliza Hill.  
 Sophia Simpson.  
 Maria E. Simpson.  
 Lydia E. Googins.  
 Phebe G. Haley.  
 Helen M. Morrill. [Mrs. Flint.]  
 †Elizabeth Smith. [Mrs. Stone.]  
 Adeline F. Lewis.  
 Julia A. Lawrence. [Mrs. Howe.]  
 Jane M. Hight.  
 Frances Philips.  
 Ruth D. Small.  
 Helen A. Banks.

AUGUST 27, 1855.

\*Emily F. Washburn, 1st Cong. Church, Manchester, N. H.  
 Sarah L. Hill.  
 Sarah A. Lovejoy.  
 Fanny G. Sprague. [Mrs. Small.]  
 Elizabeth Essen. [Mrs. Fuller.]  
 Mark Googins.  
 Joseph F. Blasland.  
 Samuel Small, Jr.  
 Leander S. Stone.  
 †Edward Payson Butler.  
 †Charles S. Maine.  
 George H. Frost.  
 Eben Staniford.

OCTOBER 29, 1855.

†Martha D. Allen, 4th Church, Providence, R. I.  
 Sally L. Fowle, 2d Cong. Church, Cohasset, Mass.  
 †Ellen M. Allen.  
 Mary F. Conant.  
 Samuel E. Conant.  
 Wm A. Kibler.

DECEMBER 31, 1855.

Richard T. Alexander.  
 Ann Maria Alexander.  
 Louisa Curtis.  
 George T. Hall.  
 †Aurelia J. Danforth.  
 †Galen F. Kilborn.

FEBRUARY 25, 1856.

†James Freeman, Cong. Church, Eastham, Mass.  
 John H. Osgood, " Rockland, Me.

Catherine H. Osgood, *Cong. Church, Rockland, Me.*  
 T. Haven Dearing.  
 Lyman S. Dawes.

APRIL 28, 1856.

Taylor G. Hall, *Cong. Church, Houlton, Me.*  
 Eliza T. Hall, " "  
 Elizabeth T. Hall, " "  
 Helen M. C. Wright, *Mystic Church, Medford, Mass.*  
 † Dorcas H. Lewis, *Cong. Church, Centreville, Mass.*  
 \* Abigail B. Clifton, *Tabernacle Church, Salem, Mass.*  
 Julia M. Knox, *Winthrop Church, Charlestown, Mass.*  
 † Abraham Buell.  
 † Harriet G. Buell.  
 Eliza Skillings.  
 Lydia C. Barker.

JULY 2, 1856.

† Sarah J. Lincoln.  
 Marantha Hathaway.  
 Harriet Inman.  
 Sarah B. Bickford.

SEPTEMBER 1, 1856.

Mary Ann Brown. [Mrs. Car.]

OCTOBER 27, 1856.

Celia O. Winter.  
 Jane Halse.

JANUARY 2, 1857.

† Charles D. Fowles, *Edwards Church, Boston.*  
 Susan Fowles, " "  
 William Longshaw, Jr.

FEBRUARY 23, 1857.

† A. G. Boyden, *Crombie St. Church, Salem, Mass.*  
 † Isabella W. Boyden, " "  
 Esther Flinn, *Cong. Church, Chatham, Mass.*  
 \* Susan McKenzie.

JULY 3, 1857.

† Augustus M. Brainard, *Cong. Church, Bristol, N. H.*  
 Elvira O. Tyrrell, " "  
 † Mary F. Waters, *Dane St. Church, Beverly, Mass.*  
 Hannah F. Crafts.

OCTOBER 26, 1857.

Wm. R. Inman.  
 Irene D. Atkins.  
 Charlotte A. Saunders.  
 Ellen M. Robbins.  
 Adelaide L. Lovejoy.  
 Abby L. Clark.

## MARCH 1, 1858.

- † Wm. H. Ward, *Franklin St. Church, Manchester, N. H.*  
 Albert Cummings, *Cong. Church, Hudson, N. H.*  
 Martha C. Cummings, "*"*  
 † Hannah R. Chadbourn [Mrs. Clark], *Elliot Ch., Roxbury, Mass.*

## APRIL 30, 1858.

- Samuel Hoffses.  
 Mary Ann F. Hoffses.  
 † Frances C. Boynton.

## JUNE 28, 1858.

- Henry Bailey.  
 Elizabeth Bailey.  
 Carrie E. Pearson.  
 Georgiana Perigo. [Mrs. Hill.]  
 Ellen E. Fitch.  
 \* Mary E. Weeks.  
 \* Sarah E. Weeks.  
 Margaret Mooney. [Mrs. Philipson.]  
 Moses H. Dearing.  
 Priscilla K. Dearing.  
 † Mary E. Buel.

## AUGUST 30, 1858.

- Luther A. Wright.  
 Margaretta A. Wright.  
 Sarah A. Blandin.  
 Stephen W. Rice.  
 Susan W. Rice.  
 Catherine L. Perigo.  
 Sarah B. Perigo.  
 † Charles F. Hussey.

## NOVEMBER 1, 1858.

- Rev. T. N. Haskell, *From Presb. Church, Washington, D. C.*  
 Annie E. Haskell, "*"*  
 John Flinn.  
 \* Elizabeth C. Flinn.

## DECEMBER 27, 1858.

- James M. Perigo.  
 Sarah B. Perigo.  
 Lyman W. Underwood.  
 Susan E. Underwood.  
 Amelia P. Fitch.

## FEBRUARY 28, 1859.

- Margaret Bennet.  
 Catherine E. H. Cox.  
 Martha J. Getchell.  
 Mehitable Kibler.  
 Elizabeth S. Thompson.  
 Hester P. Wentworth.

Duncan Davis, *1st Trin. Cong. Church, Medford, Mass.*  
 Agnes Davis,

APRIL 8, 1859.

- \*Wm. H. Dunlap.
- \*John Kaler.

JUNE 27, 1859.

Eunice F. Pillsbury, *Church West Boscawen, N. H.*  
 Pamela J. Longley, *2d Cong. Church, Portland, Me.*  
 Sarah A. Battis, *Whitfield Cong. Church, Newburyport.*  
 Araminta D. Weeks.  
 Mary E. Burg.

AUGUST 29, 1859.

Joanna Balge.

OCTOBER 31, 1859.

Alden Harlow, *Cong. Church, Marblehead, Mass.*  
 Temperance Harlow, "  
 Emily Ward [Mrs. Hyde], *Franklin St. Church, Manchester, N. H.*  
 Abby F. Averill, *Cong. Church, Dover, N. H.*  
 Eliza L. Haskell. [Mrs. Marsh.]  
 Mary E. Smith.  
 Elizabeth Jameson.

DECEMBER 26, 1859.

Elisha H. Snow, *Cong. Church, Wellfleet, Mass.*  
 Lucy A. Snow,  
 Mary Dyer, *Olivet Church, Springfield, Mass.*  
 Elenette Pillsbury.  
 M. D. Darling.

FEBRUARY 27, 1860.

Daniel A. Gregory, *Cong. Church, Tewksbury, Mass.*  
 Martha A. Gregory,  
 \*Henrietta M. Cavana. [Mrs. Adams.]

APRIL 30, 1860.

Harriet McKie, *Phillips Church, S. Boston.*  
 Sarah B. Varney.

JUNE 25, 1860.

Hannah C. Tutlow.  
 Eliza S. Campbell.  
 \*Susan Powers.

OCTOBER 29, 1860.

Jacob Auld, *Central Church, Bath, Me.*  
 Eunice F. Auld, "  
 Lydia Auld, "  
 Charles G. W. Stimson, *Central Church, Bath, Me.*  
 Mary E. Stimson, "

DECEMBER 31, 1860.

Amelia L. Philips, *Dutch Reformed Church, N. Y.*  
 Sarah Bird, *Cong. Church, No. Chelmsford, Mass.*  
 Sarah L. Bird, "  
 Mary A. Lasky, "

Ann M. McIntosh.  
Sarah Leatherland.

FEBRUARY 25, 1861.

Margaret Foster, *Salem St. Church, Boston.*  
Marcia L. Smith, *Green St. Church, Boston.*  
Mary J. Pearson.  
Clara C. Messer.

APRIL 30, 1861.

Sarah A. Pratt.  
Susan E. Prior.  
†James H. Carrick.

AUGUST 26, 1861.

Jane Galloway, *Winnisimmet Church, Chelsea, Mass.*  
Jennie Burbank.

OCTOBER 30, 1861.

Mehitable Perkins, *Cong. Church, Lyman, Me.*  
Eliza Rairden, *Richmond St. Church, Providence, R. I.*  
Emily F. Allen.

DECEMBER 30, 1861.

Mary R. Fredson, *Bowdoin Street Church, Boston.*  
Anna G. Davis, *First Cong. Church, Liverpool, Nova Scotia.*  
Mary Ann Huntley, *Presbyterian Church, East Boston.*  
Harriet Thatcher Weston, *Mystic Church, Medford.*  
Betsey Kelly, *Bowdoin St. Church, Boston.*  
Anna Parks Russell, *First Cong. Church, Nantucket.*  
Lydia Emeline Weeks.  
Margaret Jane Murphy  
Louisa Balge.  
Anna Maria Smith.  
Margaret E. Foote.

## ALPHABETICAL LIST.

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Allen, Abby  
Allen, Emily F.  
Alexander, Ann Maria  
Alexander, Hannah M.  
Alexander, Richard T.  
Atkins, Almira D.  
Atkins, Irene D.  
Auld, Eunice F.  
Auld, Jacob  
Auld, Lydia  
Averill, Abby F.  
Averill, John P.

Bacon, Caroline  
Bacon, Marcia A.  
Bailey, Edwin  
Bailey, Elizabeth  
Bailey, Henry  
Bailey, Margaret M.  
Bailey, Maria  
Bailey, Paul  
Balge, Joanna  
Balge, Louise  
Banks, Helen A.  
Barker, Lydia C.  
Barnes, Mary F.  
Barstow, William H.  
Battis, Sarah A.  
Bennet, Margaret  
Bickford, Sarah B.  
Bilby, Isabella A.  
Bilby, Jane  
Bird, Sarah  
Bird, Sarah L.  
Blandin, Sarah A.  
Blair, Isabella  
Blasland, Joseph F.  
Boss, Mary D.  
Bowker, Albert  
Bowker, Sarah L.  
Bragdon, Mary E.  
Briggs, Mary  
Brown, Eliza  
Brown, Maria J.  
Burbank, Jennie

Burbank, Mary P.  
Burbeck, Nancy D.  
Burbeck, Samuel K.  
Burg, Mary E.  
Burgess, Eliza  
Burgess, Phineas  
Burk, Mary  
Burns, Betsey  
Burrows, Ruth B.  
Butler, Benjamin F.  
Butler, Mary J.

Campbell, Eliza S.  
Carr, Mary A.  
Carver, Ira  
Carver, Susan  
Chase, Susan  
Cheney, William J.  
Clark, Abby L.  
Clark, Elizabeth  
Cole, Philomela J.  
Conant, Mary F.  
Conant, Samuel E.  
Converse, Ferdinand A. W.  
Cook, Ann  
Cox, Catharine E. H.  
Crafts, Hannah F.  
Crane, Abby  
Crane, Elijah C.  
Crosby, Hannah A.  
Crowell, Huldah S.  
Crowell, Joseph D.  
Cummings, Albert  
Cummings, Martha C.  
Curtis, Almira J.  
Curtis, Jane E.  
Curtis, Louisa  
Curtis, Nelson  
Curtis, Paul

Darling, M. D.  
Davis, Agnes  
Davis, Anna G.  
Davis, Duncan  
Dawes, Lyman F.

Dearing, Moses H.  
 Dearing, Priscilla K.  
 Dearing, T. Haven  
 Delano, Emma L.  
 Delano, Sarah  
 Delano, William H.  
 Demond, Martha E.  
 Demond, Thomas D.  
 Dennis, Sarah  
 Dias, Isabella  
 Ditson, Martha  
 Ditson, Thomas  
 Dixon, Julia M.  
 Duncan, John M.  
 Dunlap, Sarah D.  
 Dyer, Mary

Edlefson, Elizabeth

Fales, Caroline L.  
 Fales, Joseph J.  
 Fales, Mary E.  
 Field, Lorena  
 Finkin, Elizabeth  
 Finkin, James  
 Finley, Mary A.  
 Fisher, Alice H.  
 Fitch, Amelia P.  
 Fitch, Ellen E.  
 Fletcher, Sally  
 Flinn, Esther  
 Flinn, John  
 Flint, Helen M.  
 Folsom, Joseph  
 Folsom, Martha  
 Folts, Daniel V.  
 Folts, Harriet E. M.  
 Foote, Margaret E.  
 Foster, Margaret  
 Fowle, Sally L.  
 Fowles, Charles  
 Fowles, Susan  
 Fredson, Mary R.  
 Fredson, William H.  
 Frost, George H.  
 Fuller, Elizabeth

Galloway, Jane  
 Garvin, Helvina A.  
 Getchell, Martha J.  
 Giddings, Eunice  
 Googins, Eliza G.  
 Googins, Lydia E.

Googins, Mark  
 Gove, Mary F.  
 Gray, Harriet  
 Gregory, Daniel A.  
 Gregory, Martha A.

Hahn, Sally  
 Haley, Phebe G.  
 Hall, Elizabeth L.  
 Hall, Elizabeth L.  
 Hall, Elizabeth T.  
 Hall, Eliza T.  
 Hall, George T.  
 Hall, Hannah A.  
 Hall, Harriet A.  
 Hall, Luther  
 Hall, Marcia I.  
 Hall, Mary E.  
 Hall, Olivia P.  
 Hall, Taylor G.  
 Hall, Winslow  
 Halse, Jane  
 Harlow, Alden  
 Harlow, Temperance  
 Haskell, Annie E.  
 Haskell, Rev. T. N.  
 Hathaway, Marantha  
 Haven, Curtis  
 Haven, Mary  
 Hazlet, Eliza A.  
 Heal, Samuel W.  
 Hegan, Jane  
 Hegan, John  
 Hight, Jane M.  
 Hill, Eliza  
 Hill, Frances H.  
 Hill, Georgianna  
 Hill, Sarah H.  
 Hill, Mary F.  
 Hill, Mary F.  
 Hinkley, James N.  
 Hoffses, Mary Ann F.  
 Hoffses, Samuel  
 Howe, Clara  
 Howe, John, Jr.  
 Howe, Julia A.  
 Howe, Otis C.  
 Howes, Lucy H.  
 Howes, Sarah J.  
 Huntley, Mary Ann  
 Huse, Albert  
 Huse, Nancy S.  
 Hyde, Emily

Inman, Harriet  
Inman, William R.  
Irvin, Prudence

James, Charles  
James, Elizabeth W. S.  
James, George E.  
James, Eveline C.  
James, Mary E.  
Jameson, Elizabeth  
Johns, Alice  
Joslyn, Melinda

Kelly, Betsey  
Kendall, Estelle  
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## QUESTIONS FOR SELF-EXAMINATION.

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THE following questions are affectionately recommended to the prayerful and frequent perusal of each member of this church.

1. Are you in the practice of daily secret prayer?
2. Are you in the practice of daily family prayer?
3. Do you pray every day that God would bless his truth to the conviction and conversion of sinners?
4. Do you sincerely desire and pray for the salvation of the children and youth committed to your care?
5. Do you feel a readiness to forgive and pray for your enemies?
6. Do you pray daily for the pastor and officers of this church?
7. Do you do something every day to bring sinners to repentance? And are you in the daily practice of intercessory prayer for individuals of your acquaintance who are unconverted?
8. Do you daily, with a prayerful desire to improve in Christian knowledge, read the word of God? And do you understand and prize its doctrines and ordinances?
9. Do you keep the Sabbath holy? At what hour do you rise on its holy morning? How much of its time do you devote to business, worldly conversation, and dress? How much to your soul?
10. Do you make it a matter of conscience to attend, when not providentially prevented, all the meetings of the church for social worship?
11. Are you connected with the Sabbath School, or the Bible Classes? And do you do anything to sustain them, and induce others to attend?
12. Have you solemnly consecrated all you have, and are, to the Lord? Do you esteem it a privilege to deny yourself for Christ's sake? Is it a *pleasure*, rather than a *grief*, to be asked to *contribute* to advance his kingdom? Do you do conscientiously all you can, by your pecuniary ability, to promote his kingdom?
13. What is the prevailing tenor of your conversation? is it spiritual or worldly?
14. With whom do you *associate* as your *intimate friends* — with the believers or the unbelievers in experimental religion — with the prayerful or the prayerless — with the friends of Christ or his enemies? And of whom do you seek *advice on questions of duty*?
15. Are you at peace with all who love Christ?

16. Are you as tender of the reputation of a brother as of your own? Do you cultivate a spirit of tenderness towards the failings and imperfections of your brethren? What feelings do you cherish towards the Church? Do you *spea*k just as you should do of its officers, its members, its proceedings, its covenant obligations? Had you rather suffer than needlessly be the occasion of injuring its influence and of causing reproach?

17. Do you keep your tongue from speaking evil of a brother; and if, in anything, you are displeased with him, do you follow the gospel rule, and tell him your feelings between him and yourself alone? Do you watch over and pray for your brethren and sisters, according to your covenant engagements? When you are not personally acquainted, do you seek out their acquaintance? When any are sick or afflicted, or in want, do you visit them, and fulfil the apostolic injunction, "Bear ye one another's burdens"? In fine, is all your intercourse with your fellow-disciples such that a stranger witnessing it would say, "See how these Christians love one another"?

18. Is your adoption of the gospel an *intelligent* one? Have you added to your faith virtue, and to virtue *knowledge*, so that you can defend the truth and put to silence ungodly men, meekly *instructing* those that oppose themselves?

19. Do you make it a matter of conscience never to visit any place of amusement, or social pleasure, on which you cannot first ask the divine blessing, or where it may be deemed intrusive to introduce the subject of religion?

20. Do you love God above everything else? Do you love his holy law? Do you hate sin, because it is enmity to God? Do you feel that God would be just in your eternal condemnation? Do you submit, unconditionally, to the government of God? Do you rely upon and confide in Jesus Christ alone for salvation? Do you give yourself away in the covenant of grace, as belonging entirely to God?

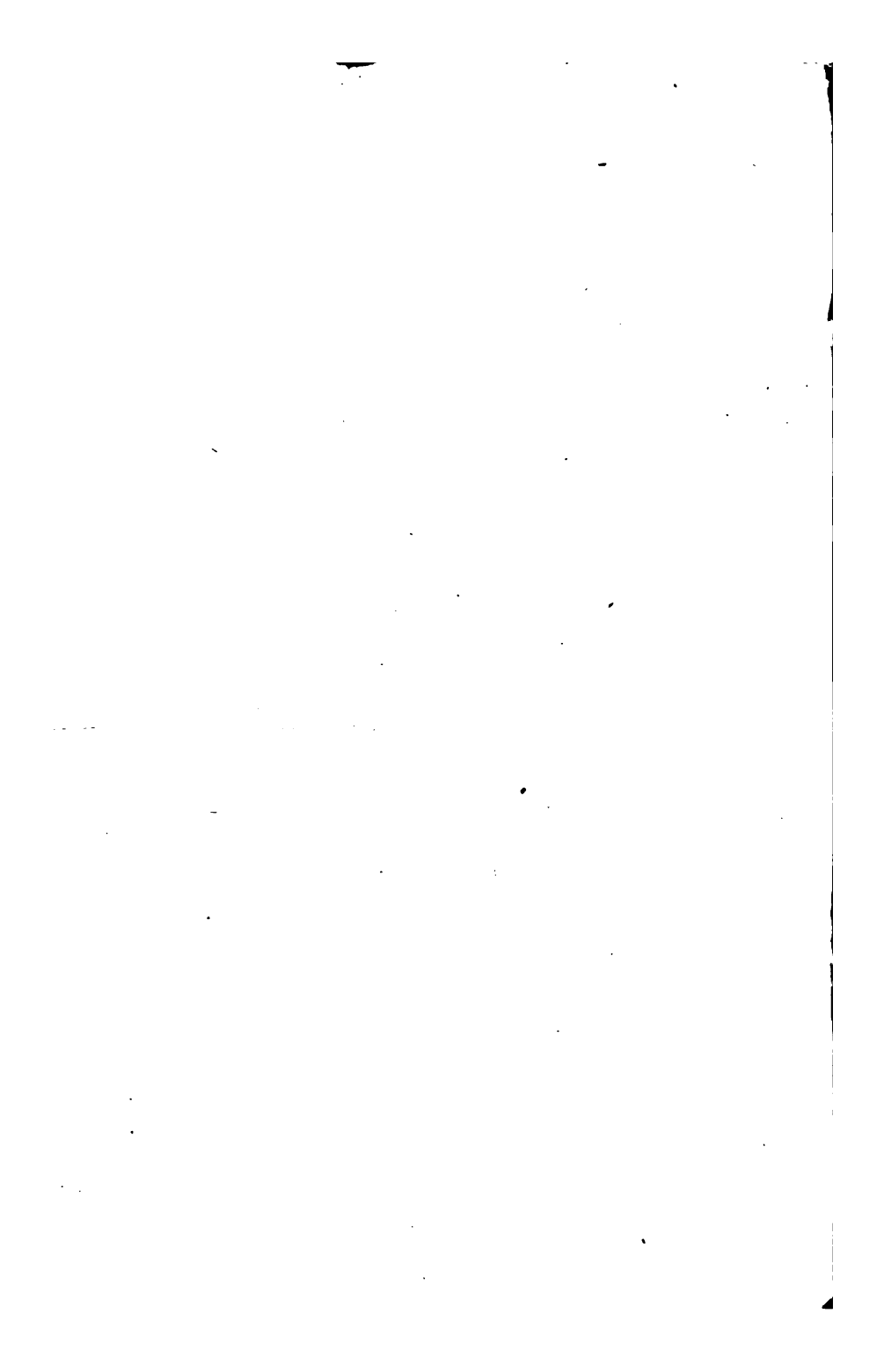
21. Have you examined your habits, and become sure that you do not retain any that are wrong? Have you searched out and subdued every evil propensity? Do you understand and fully appreciate *all* the responsibilities that rest upon you, in relation to a lost world? Have you settled the question, whether it be not your duty to go as a missionary among the heathen? Do you cherish and cultivate *all* the Christian graces, in *due* proportion?

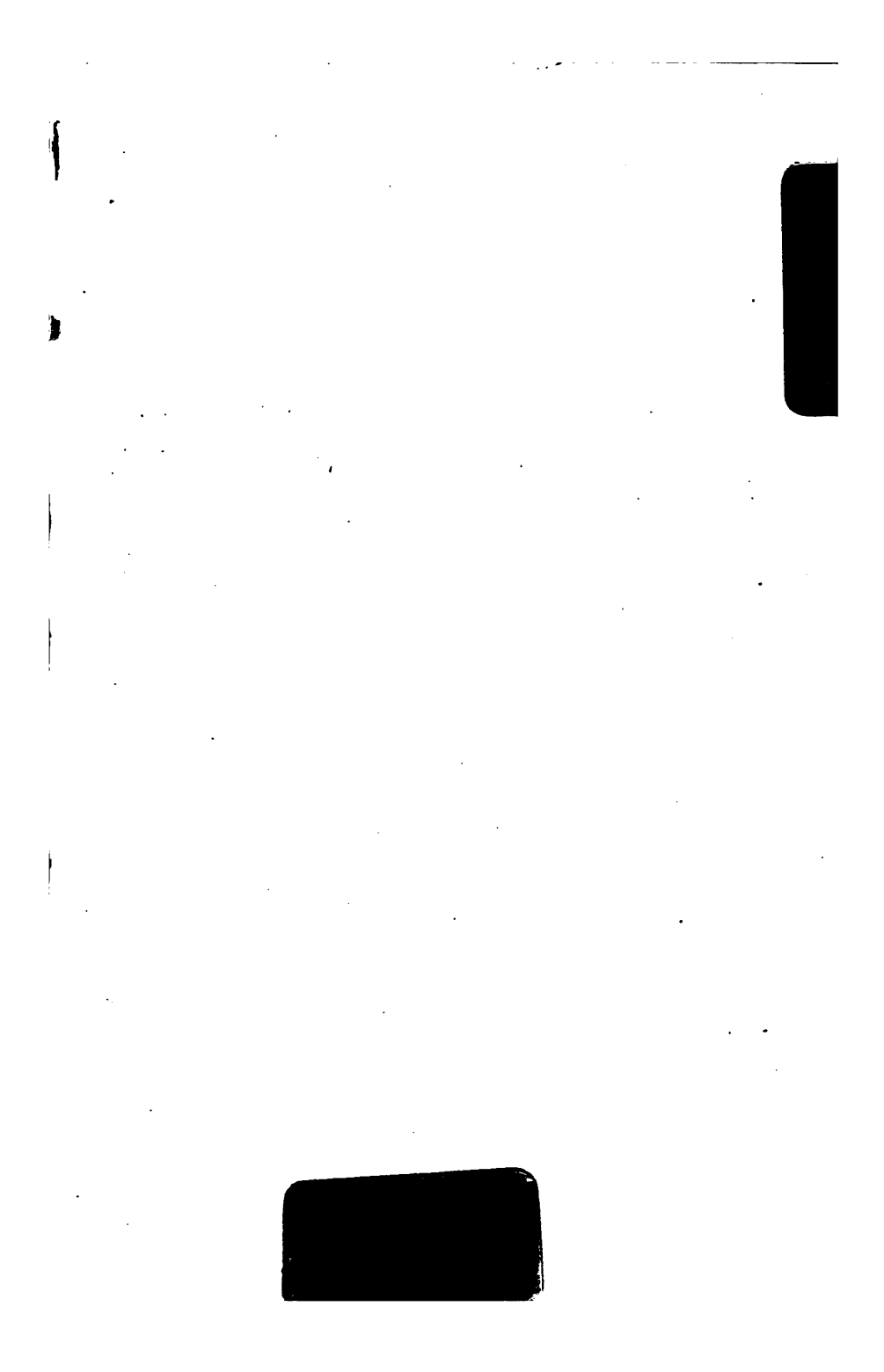
22. Is your life such, in all respects, as to convince the world that you are a holy man? Does your hatred of your own sins daily increase? Does your delight in the duty of secret, social, and public worship, increase? Do your meditations of heaven become more sweet, refreshing, and constant?

28. Have you as clear views of the infinite purity of the divine law as you *ought* to have? Have you as clear and full a knowledge of all the obligations under which you are placed by divine grace, as you *ought* to have? Do you *continually* exercise *all* the fortitude, zeal, patience, self-denial, brotherly kindness, love to enemies, confidence in God, perseverance, temperance, and every other Christian virtue, in all circumstances, which you *ought* to exercise? Do you love God with all your heart, and your neighbor as yourself? Do you, every day, do *all* for the glory of God and the good of man which you *ought* to do?

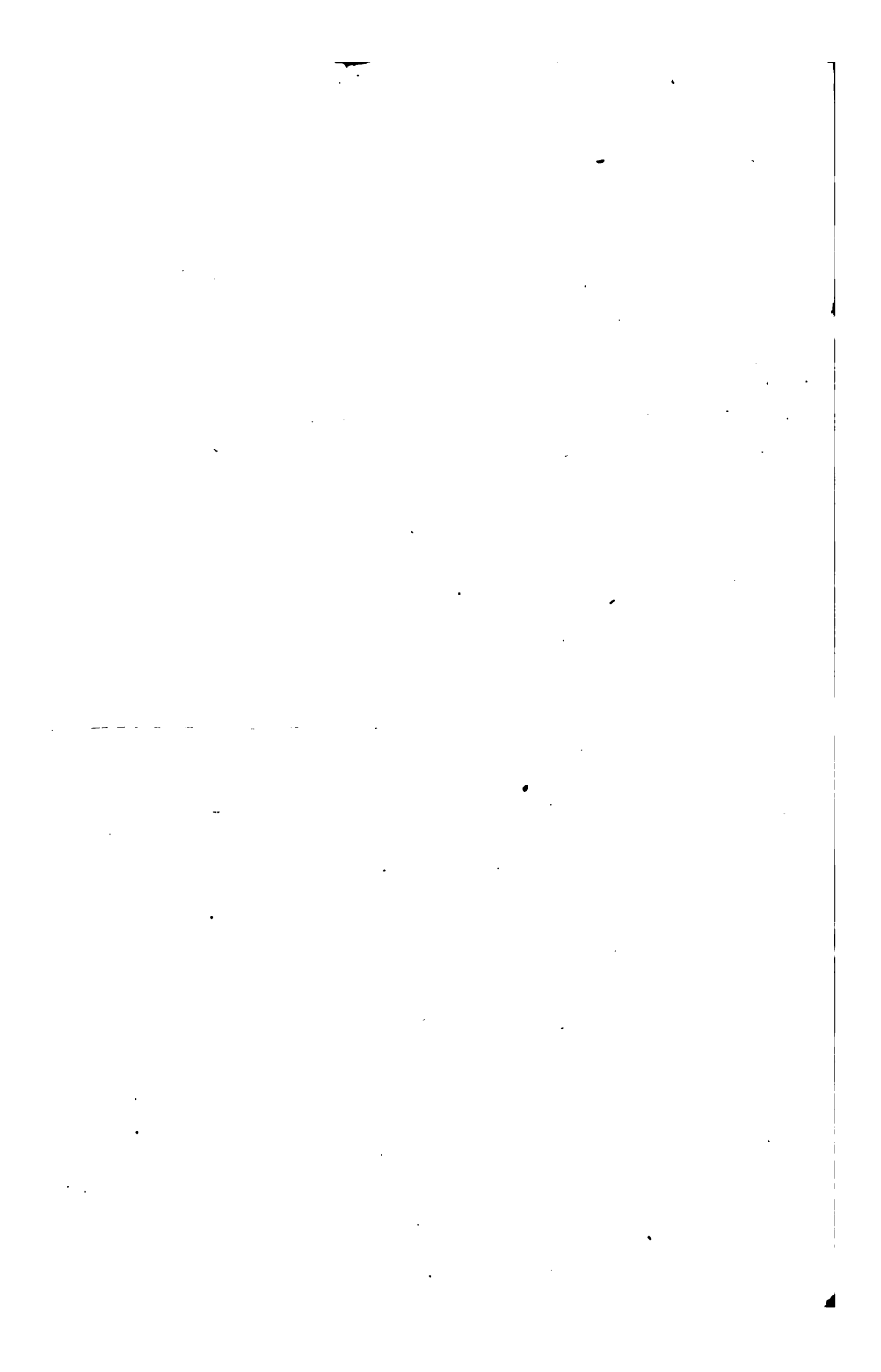
Will you read these questions at least once every week, and pray God to search your heart in respect to the several points of experience and duty suggested by them?

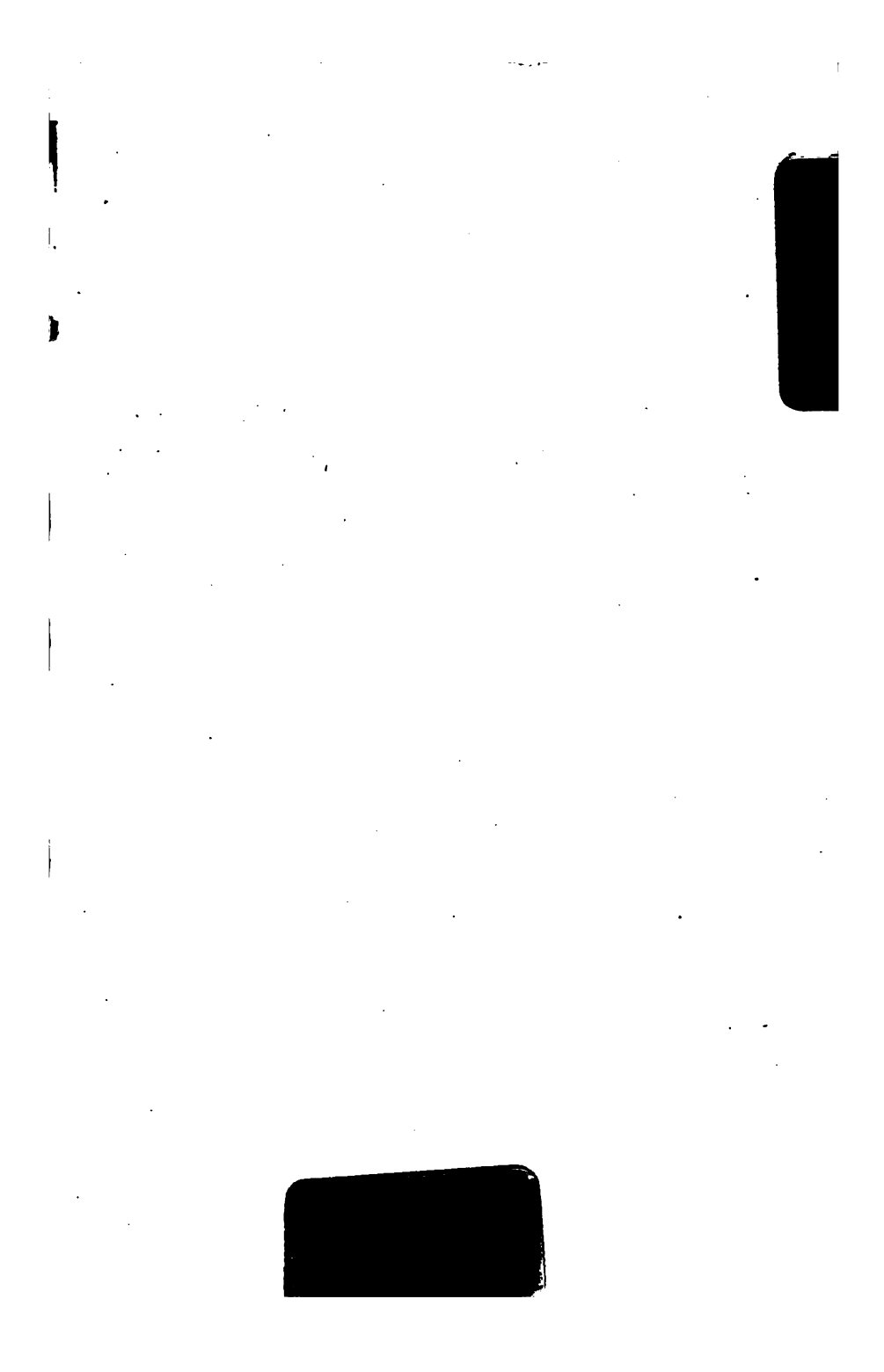


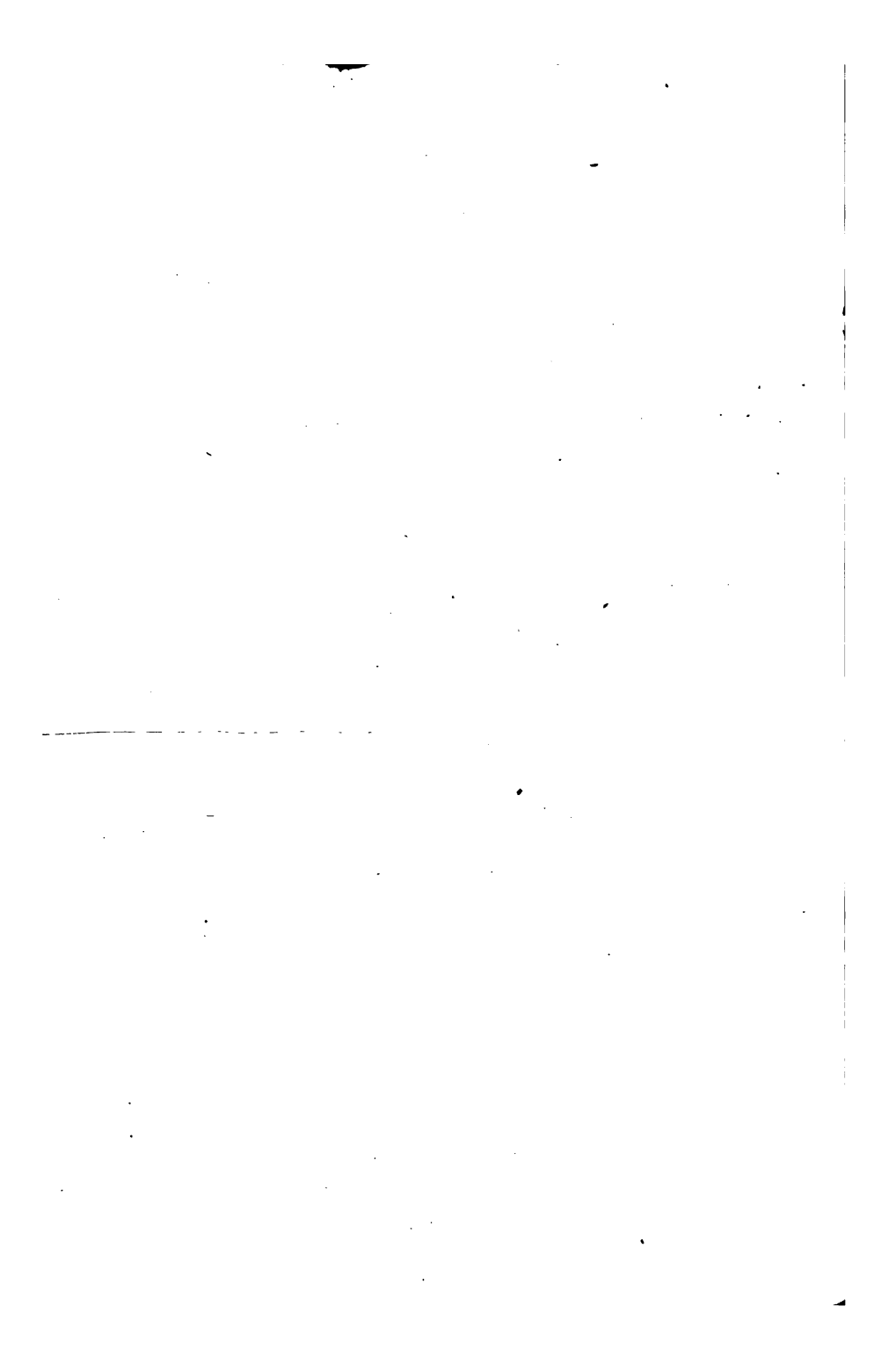














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